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OUTLINES.

Russian warships sunk two Japanese transports; the loss of lives is near 1,000. —— Wreckage is coming ashore at Cape Henry, Va., from some burnt vessel. —— The fire at Norton, Va., destroyed the business section of the town; loss about $150,000. —— The Russian squadron has returned to Vladivostok. —— Russians sustained a sweeping defeat in the fight near Vafangow; the Russians retreated, leaving over 500 dead on the field and fourteen rapid fire guns. —— Terrible storm in Cuba; forty-five persons dead and scores are missing; property loss at Santiago is enormous. —— The U. C. V. reunion at Nashville ended yesterday; the parade of the veterans was the leading feature of the day. —— Hermis won the suburban handicap, worth $30,000, at Sheepshead Bay; 30,000 people attended the races. —— New York markets: Money on call easy, highest at 1½ per cent; cotton was quoted dull at 12.00c; flour steady; wheat—spot easy, No. 2 red nominal; corn—spot quiet, No. 2 56c; oats—spot dull, mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 45@47c; rosin steady, strained common to good $3.10; spirits turpentine steady and quiet.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Dep't of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Wilmington, N. C., June 16.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 71 degrees; 8 P. M., 71 degrees; maximum, 79 degrees; minimum, 63 degrees; mean, 71 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.79 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 4 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Fair weather and somewhat higher temperatures are reported throughout the belt.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—For North Carolina—Fair Friday, except showers in extreme west portion; Saturday fair; light east to southeast winds.

Port Almanac—June 17.

Sun Rises	4.41 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.19 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 38 M.
High Water at Southport	10.55 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.25 A. M.

All who want Parker to be President say "Aye." The ayes seem to have it. They have.

"The wind bloweth where it listeth." The gasbag bloweth wherever he gets a chance, but never blows up.

A New York physician declares that he is going to make electricity supplant whiskey. Gee! Electricity has already got the bulge on whiskey in laying out its victims.

Says the Washington *Post*: "If Col Bryan bolts the Democratic convention, it is not believed that he will have many followers. Experience has shown that the Kansas City platform is not strong enough to support much of a crowd." That makes it look like the Kansas City platform needs a few bolts.

As the STAR long ago predicted, it is becoming more evident every day that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will head the Republican ticket. Roosevelt selected himself and made the fight from the start for his own nomination, and now he selects his running mate. It is said that Senator Fairbanks has consented. Did you ever!

Ex Congressman Lentz, Democrat, of Columbus, O., is agitating for government ownership of telegraph lines. The Houston *Chronicle*, Dem., takes to the idea and declares that "the Democratic platform (at Louis) should contain a postal telegraph plank." Please don't touch the already floundering Party with a live wire like that.

When, how and in what manner did some people get it into their heads that socialism, communism paternalism and centralization, represented in government ownership, government aid and the like, get to be any part, particle or portion of the principle of Democracy? We wonder how deep and widely spread the fungus has grown into and over the fundamental corporosity of the party.

At the anti-Parker meeting in New York next Monday night at Cooper Institute the principal speakers will be Col. Bryan and Fred Hinrich, a New Yorker whose effervescent temperament makes him gravitate from one extreme to the other. In 1896 Hinrich stood with the Plutocracy against Bryanism. He was beaten for Comptroller on the Palmer and Buckner ticket, and now watch his antics.

The New York "Tribune" of Wednesday prints the pictures of the West Point "star students" at this season's commencement. There are six of them and two are from North Carolina Five of them are from the South! Here they are: R. P. Howell, Jr., C. R. Pettis, of North Carolina: W. D. A. Anderson, of Virginia; J. J. Kingman, of Tennessee; H. H. Robert, of Mississippi, and R. T. Ward, of Colorado.

LOCAL DOTS.

— On the local market yesterday spirits was firm at 52½c. Rosin was firm at $3.75 per barrel.

— Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Sarah P. Guyton and Mr. Wm. H. Darden, both of this city.

— Excursions from Rocky Mount and Mount Olive will be here to-day. One was here yesterday from Spring Hope.

— Schooner "Lillian Woodruff" arrived yesterday from New York, with cargo of cement for the Carolina Central warehouses.

— The C. F. A. and W. L. I. teams will meet again on the baseball diamond at Hilton Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The public is invited.

— The Eagle Steam Laundry is sending to friends a handsome little advertising novelty in the form of an accurate thermometer, with background of wood.

— The Wilmington Gun Club will hold its regular weekly shoot this afternoon at 4 o'clock, Seats have been provided for spectators. The public is invited.

— Fayetteville *Observer:* "A gentleman who returned from Greensboro yesterday says that Stedman's managers are confident, and claim sixty-odd more votes for their candidate than Glenn can muster."

— Messrs. Brock & King, the electrical contractors, have at their office in the old Court House building an attractive advertising novelty in the form of a miniature street railway, which is attracting great attention.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "It is estimated that between fifty and seventy-five delegates will attend the State convention at Greensboro from Cumberland county. This county has 18 votes in the convention, and 15 of these are instructed for Stedman and 3 for Glenn."

— Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville *Observer*: "The 'City of Fayetteville' went down to Wilmington at noon, and among her passengers were: Mrs. A. B. Williams, going to Prospect Hall; Miss Mamie Davis, to Davis' Landing, and Mrs. A. M. Clark and Mrs. Elliott, of Southern Pines, going to Wilmington.."

— The "Young American Giants" and the "Second Street Sluggers," both teams being about evenly matched, will line up for a game of baseball to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The "Giants" are the champions so far, having won every game. The batteries will be Sallings and Moore, for the "Giants." McKenzie and Bulluck for the "Sluggers."

— St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, of this city, through its clerk, Mr. H. L. Vollers, yesterday sent a telegram of condolence to St. Mark's German Lutheran Sunday school, of New York, which was stricken so heavily in the great steamboat fire there on Wednesday, as was told of in yesterday's telegraphic dispatches to the papers.

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday Simeon Peden and wife transferred to A. M. Peden, for $5 and other consideration, square half acre located in the southeast corner of the tract of two acres owned and occupied by Simeon Peden; and Sol Sternberger, Jr., and wife transferred to Thos. R. Mask, for $350, property at southeast corner of Fourteenth and Orange streets and at Fourteenth and Ann streets.

Big Potato Crop.

The Mount Olive *Tribune* this week says the Irish potato crop this season has far exceeded the expectation of the truckers, being about 50 per cent. larger than any previous year. The *Tribune* says that up to Wednesday afternoon it was estimated that 135 solid cars, or 25,000 barrels of potatoes had been shipped from Mount Olive, and there were about 10,000 barrels yet to be shipped. The price thus far has averaged $2.30 per barrel, bringing to the truckers there about $125,000.

Noble Gift by Jr. O. U. A. M.

Southport *Standard*: "The Junior Order of United American Mechanics of Southport have given the sum of $100 to the new school building. This order is a patron of education and is constantly doing a good work to advance the educational facilities of every locality in which a lodge is located. The thanks of the entire community should go out as one voice to the Southport Lodge for its generosity and love of humanity."

Game of Baseball.

Yesterday morning at the Seaside Park the "Brooklyn Bullies" met the "Dispatch Boys" in a game of baseball which resulted in a defeat of the "Dispatch Boys" by a score of 11 to 9. The batteries for the teams were as follows: Barnes and Nelms for the "Brooklyn Bullies" and Davis and Croom for the "Dispatch Boys." The same teams are expected to meet again at the same place to-day at 9:30 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Cook—With gas.
Wanted—A boy.
Ahren's—At your door.
Str. Compton—Schedule.
Mercer & Evans Co.—Contest.
Masonic—Meeting Orient Lodge.
Wm. E. Worth & Co.-Butter, cheese.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Cross-ties.
For Sale—Five-room house.

A dip in the ocean these hot afternoons is a pleasure beyond compare—car every half hour in the afternoon.

CLOSED ITS SESSIONS

First Annual Meeting of State Building and Loan League Is At an End.

RE-ELECTED ALL OFFICERS.

Charlotte Next Place of Meeting and May 20th and 21st the Dates—Interesting Addresses by Mr. Cumming, Mr. Gore and Others.

After a delightful all-day excursion down the river to Southport and out to sea on the commodious steamer "Compton" yesterday, members of the North Carolina Building and Loan League reassembled in the ball room of the Seashore Hotel at Wrightsville beach last night and at a late hour completed its first annual sessions with the hearing of interesting addresses and the annual election of officers for the ensuing year. The excursion was one of the most pleasant features of the annual meeting of the League and a large number of the visitors with their families and friends were guests of Capt. Sanders for the trip. Not a few Wilmington people accompanied the party and sought to interest the guests in the points of interest down the historic Cape Fear. A majority of the excursionists stopped at Southport and dined at the Stuart House. The boat left the city at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning and returned at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The closing session last night at Wrightsville was called to order by President Wittkowsky at 8:30 o'clock. All the officers of the past year, with members of the Executive Committee, were re-elected as follows:

President—Mr. S. Wittkowsky, of Charlotte.

Vice President—Mr. T. A. Marshall, of Wadesboro.

Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. E. L. Keesler, of Charlotte.

Executive Committee—Messrs. S. Wittkowsky, A. G. Brenizer, E. L. Keesler, of Charlotte; T. A. Marshall, of Wadesboro; G. A. Follin, of Winston; C. T. Rawls, of Asheville, and Wm. E. Worth, of Wilmington.

Charlotte was chosen as the next place of meeting and May 20th and 21st as the dates.

The addresses last night were by Mr. N. Jacobi, president of the Mechanics' Home Association; Mr. W. M. Cumming, secretary of the Mechanics' Home, and Jno. H. Gore, Jr., Esq., attorney for the Clarendon Savings and Loan Association, all of Wilmington. Mr. Jacobi's remarks were along general lines. Mr. Cumming spoke on "The Differences Between a Building and Loan Association and a Savings Bank," and the subject of the interesting address by Mr. Gore was "Some Usury Decisions of the Supreme Court, as They Affect Building and Loans Associations."

Mr. Cumming began with a humorous allusion to the final "s" on his name as printed in the programme and sought to advise the League that he was not plural. He made a splendid application of his subject, saying there were no differences between the building and loans and savings bank in the sense of antagonism; that while there were some differences of administration and diversity of operation, they each supplement and complement the other. In other words, the building and loan is nothing more than a co-operative savings bank, as they are called in New England. Each sought the same objects of frugality, industry and economy. The differences in operation and administration were shown to the advantage of the building and loan association.

Mr. Gore began by defining the building and loan association and disclaiming any purpose to discuss its moral and economic aspect except in so far as the same might have some bearing upon the question of legislation, both judicial and legislative. In the past decade the ramifications of business had thrust upon our judiciary and legislature a burden of work of either new and novel questions or old questions under changed circumstances, for their consideration, and as a result we have a chaotic mass of new and untried laws, founded on theory and expectation, and in this season of business transition, one might expect these changes, incident to the period, like Tennyson's Brook to "go on forever."

Mr. Gore then launched upon a legal discussion of the usury laws of North Carolina and their effect upon the building and loan interests of the State. He strongly recommended legislation of a remedial nature, closing with this beautiful tribute to the building and loan association:

"The Association is not a financial corporation; its object is home-building. It insures to the community stability of its labor system, prosperity and independence to its laborers, due to the consummation of its efforts in establishing the laborers' home, the home with its contentment—an anchor for the nomad laborer and wage earner, where the busy housewife plys her evening care, where childhood dreams of its angels and harps, the tired laborer rests in peace and quiet return of the hour of his labor, where after the joys and sorrows, the laughter and tears, the failures and fortunes of a useful and contented life, he breathes his last, content in the thought that those he leaves behind to long for the touch of the hand that is vanished, for the sound of the voice that is still, possess the sheltering eaves of a home."

Take the children to the Casino—25 cents round trip on trolley line for children under twelve years.—No charge for children under 5 years.

GRAND LODGE OF PYTHIANS.

Maj. Wm. F. Robertson Elected Grand Chancellor—Closing Session Yesterday—Appointments.

Mr. H. E. Bonitz returned last night from Winston-Salem, where he attended the 34th annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, which closed its sessions there yesterday morning. Mr. Bonitz says the meeting was the best held in years and the Winston people entertained the visitors in royal manner. Grand Chancellor Robertson and the remainder of the Wilmington delegation to the Grand Lodge will return this morning. The next annual meeting will be held in Charlotte. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Grand Chancellor—Wm. F. Robertson, of Wilmington.

Grand Vice Chancellor — A. S. Barnard, of Asheville.

Grand Prelate—Rev. Dr. L. A. Bickle, of King's Mountain.

Grand Keeper of Records and Seals W. T. Hollowell, of Goldsboro.

Grand Master of Exchequer—Jno. C. Mills, of Rutherfordton.

Grand Master at Arms—A. B. Bynum, of Winston-Salem.

Grand Inner Guard—J. M. Boyette, of Albemarle.

Grand Outer Guard—McBride Holt, of Graham.

The above with the appointive officers were installed yesterday morning.

There was a spirited discussion over a resolution empowering Grand Chancellor Robertson to appoint a grand lecturer at a salary of $900 per year and $600 per year for expenses. The resolution was finally adopted and the lecturer will be appointed later. Several persons are spoken of in connection with the place, but Grand Chancellor Robertson has given no intimation of whom he will appoint. It was stated in Winston-Salem that Capt. T. D. Meares would probably be appointed, but Capt. Meares is quoted as having said that he could not accept the place and was not a candidate. While it is not known that he would accept the place, there are five hundred Pythians in Wilmington and a great many more in the State who would be delighted as an honor to the appointee and for the good of Pythianism in North Carolina to hear that Mr. J. D. Nutt, of Wilmington, had been named. He is perhaps the most enthusiastic Knight in the Carolinas; is well grounded in the principles of the order; has already very successfully done work kindred to that of Grand Lecturer, and is eminently qualified in every other respect for the position. The Grand Lecturer will be under the control of Grand Chancellor Robertson and it is proper that he should be a Wilmington man.

ROBERT ALEXANDER BRANCH.

Good Citizen of Wilmington Died Yesterday at His Home on Queen Street.

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Mr. Robert Alexander Branch, a well known tinner and coppersmith, of Wilmington, which occurred rather suddenly while he was seated at the dinner table yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 509 Queen street. Mr. Branch had been in poor health for a long time, but his death was not expected. His death was the result of heart failure.

Deceased was 68 years of age on the tenth day of the present month and was a native of Fayetteville, N. C., being a son of the late Moses Branch. He came to Wilmington 18 years ago and had been a good and useful citizen. He is survived by an only brother, Mr. Jordan Branch, a devoted wife, three sons and two daughters. The sons are Messrs. William, Edward and Arthur Branch and the daughters are Miss Susan Branch and Mrs Alice Cox, all of Wilmington. The funeral will be conducted at 5 o'clock this afternoon from the late residence and the remains will be laid to rest in Bellevue cemetery.

PASTOR HALE ON DISPENSARY.

He Invites Everybody to Hear His Sermon at the First Baptist Church.

The STAR is requested to publish the following announcement:

"On Sunday night next Pastor Fred, D. Hale, of the First Baptist church, will preach on the subject of the Dispensary. For twenty-five years Dr. Hale has been in the thickest of the fight against the saloon, and will have something of interest for those who care to hear the subject discussed. A unique phase of the subject will be presented. Saloon-keepers are cordially invited to attend this special service. There will doubtless be sharp criticism against the preacher for introducing such a subject as this into the pulpit, and Pastor Hale is desirous for the people to hear for themselves, and not get a report of the sermon from second hands. Those who for any cause oppose the Dispensary are especially invited to be present. The church will seat over 1,000 people, so there will be room for all."

Road Roller Accepted.

The new road roller, "John H. Sweeney, Jr.," has been accepted by the city after ten days trial provided in the contract with the Springfield Road Roller Co. The old and heavier roller has been shipped to Winston-Salem by the Springfield people, who exchanged with the city for the lighter machine.

Carolina Beach Sunday.

There will be three trips of the steamer "Wilmington" to Carolina Beach Sunday. In the afternoon the Delgado Band will play in the pavilion. The band will also play on both trips of the steamer to and from the beach.

AN EVENING WEDDING

Miss Alice Green, of Wilmington, the Bride of a Prominent Young Pennsylvanian.

CEREMONY AND RECEPTION.

Only Relatives and Few Intimate Friends Present to Witness Happy Nuptial Event—Couple Will Reside in Suburb of Philadelphia.

A beautiful wedding was celebrated in this city yesterday evening when Miss Alice Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. McL. Green, No. 406 South Third street, was married to Mr. Edwin M. Wilson, of Haverford, Pa. The marriage was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents, at half after eight o'clock in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and groom, and was followed by a reception which was largely attended. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and the wedding march was rendered by Miss Anna Sprunt, the accomplished organist of that church.

The bride wore a handsome wedding gown of white panne crepe de chine, trimmed with duchesse and point lace, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. She was given away by her father, and was attended by Miss Martha Williams as maid of honor. Miss Williams wore a beautiful gown of pink flowered net, trimmed with chiffon and lace, and carried a bouquet of bridesmaid's roses.

Misses Fannie Murchison and Julia Worth, two charming members of the younger set, drew the ribbons at the beginning of the ceremony. They were daintily gowned in white accordion plaited organdies, with pink pompadour sashes. The little flower girl, Aline Saunders, a four-year-old cousin of the bride, was dressed in a pink accordion plaited mousseline de soie, and carried a basket of pink sweet peas.

Mr. Douglas Howe Adams, of Haverford, Pa., was best man. The ushers were Mr. John J. Blair, of Wilmington, and Messrs. G. W. Wilson, of Gastonia; R. N. Wilson, of Guilford College, and L. R. Wilson, of Chapel Hill, brothers of the groom.

The bride is an exceedingly attractive and popular young lady, and will carry with her to her new home the good wishes of her large circle of friends in this city. The groom is a native of this State, a graduate of the University of North Carolina, and is at present Instructor in History and Vice Principal of the Haverford School, one of the largest college preparatory schools of Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will go at once to Haverford, which is one of the most attractive suburbs of Philadelphia.

The following out-of-town guests were in attendance at the wedding: Dr. and Mrs. G. H. West, of Newton; Miss Alice V. Wilson, of Lenoir; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Corbett, of Wilson, and Mr. Neill Green of Durham.

INTERESTING POLICE COURT DOCKET.

Bad White Woman Sent to Jail—Negro Lad Drunk and Down—Others.

Mamie Gaskill, a dissolute white woman who lives in Dross Neck, was arraigned in the Mayor's court yesterday charged with disorderly conduct and was sent to jail for 30 days. W. J. Richards, a young white man who was implicated in the disorder with the Gaskill woman, exhibited a railroad pass to Portsmouth, Va., and was let off with the costs provided he would leave town by night. He promised to do so.

Bird Spriggs, a colored boy between 13 and 15 years of age, was arraigned for being drunk and down. The charge immediately prompted an investigation by the Mayor as to where the boy received his intoxicants. He said he drove a hack and Wednesday night some "white gemmen" whom he was driving, gave him liquor and made him drink it. No names could be learned and the boy was discharged.

Frank Fennell, the negro youth charged with the larceny of a bicycle from Mr. C. D. Gilberi, upon being arraigned proved himself the champion liar in the United States. With tears in his eyes and between sobs he explained to the Mayor that his mother had been run over and killed by an automobile in Morehead City and that he had bought the bicycle for 50c with the hope of riding over to Morehead to his mother's funeral. He was sent to jail for the higher court.

Kermon-Fullwood Nuptials.

At 9 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of the bride's father, Capt. W. J. Kermon, No. 614 South Second street, Miss Florence Kermon, and Mr. Charles Fullwood, were quietly married in the presence of a number of friends and relatives, the Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, officiating. After the ceremony a reception was tendered at which delicious refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Fullwood will reside in Wilmington, on Fifth, between Ann and Nun streets.

A Surprise Wedding.

Mr. Sam Siegler, Jr., son of Mr. S. Siegler, the furniture merchant, and Miss Bessie M. Snipes, the attractive young daughter of Mrs. M. E. Snipes, were quietly married at the home of a friend on Brunswick street at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The wedding was a great surprise to many friends as well as to the parents of the young people. Mr. and Mrs. Siegler will make their home in this city.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

— Miss Ray Sneed is the guest of friends in Mullins, S. C.

— Miss Gertrude Mydette, of Kinston, is the guest of Mrs. W. M. Creasy.

— Mrs. M. L. Betts, of Salisbury, is a guest at the home of Dr. J. H. Dreher.

— Mr. R. E. L. Brown, of Chadbourn, was in the city on business yesterday.

—Miss Elsa Munds, of New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Munds.

— Misses Placide and Lalla Ellington, of Raleigh, N. C., are visiting Miss Mamie McGirt, of this city.

— Rev. Father Dennen has returned from a trip to Philadelphia and from Mount De Sales commencement.

— Dr. J. P. Brown and Capt. F. C. Jones, of Ashpole, are here, returning home from Jackson Springs.

— Mrs. J. A. Waters and Miss Nellie Yopp, of Danville, Ga., arrived last night and are guests at The Orton.

— Mr. J. V. Grainger, cashier of the Murchison National Bank, is attending the Bankers' Convention in Asheville.

— Southport *Standard*: "Mr. E V. Richards, wife and baby came down Saturday to spend some time with Mrs. Pearce, mother of Mr. Richards."

— Goldsboro *Argus*: "Miss Mary L. Smith, of Wilmington, after spending several days in our city on a visit to friends, returned home yesterday."

— Among the arrivals in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McNaughton, of Broadman. They were on their way to Wrightsville Beach.

— H. L. Cook and Q. K. Nimocks, Esqs, of Fayetteville, arrived last night to argue a case before Judge Purnell, who is a guest at the Seashore Hotel.

— Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbett and daughter, Miss Nellie, have returned from Mount De Sales. Miss Margaret Corbett graduated from the college there with honors.

— Miss Mamie Tennelle and Miss Sallie M. Grant, of Jackson, N. C., are guests at The Orton, en route to Conway, S. C., where they will spend some time, the guests of relatives.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Miss Fannie Johnson, of Wilmington, is visiting her sister, Miss Hattie Starr, and there could be few visitors to the city who would receive a heartier welcome."

— Mrs. Mary Carter Brinson and Miss Mary Carter Ray, who have been visiting Mrs. W. J. Penny, have returned to their home in Raleigh, much to the regret of their friends in Wilmington.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orion were: N. S. Green, Lillington; Dr. J. Arthur Dosher, Southport; D. W. McNaughton and wife, Boardman; G. W. Wilson, Gastonia; L. R. Wilson, Chapel Hill, and F. T. Croom, of Burgaw.

— Mr. John B. Hanks, a former resident of Wilmington, but now of South Carolina, is spending a few days in the city. Mr. Hanks was a popular druggist here some years ago and has a host of friends in Wilmington who are always glad to see him.

— Mrs. A. J. Mercer, of Brunswick county, is the guest of her only daughter and son, Mrs. E. J. Walker and Mr. J. B. Mercer. Mrs. Mercer has just passed the 82d mile-stone in a long and useful life and is on the first visit to her children in Wilmington in several years.

NORTH CAROLINA MASONS.

Asheville Place of Meeting Next Year. Code Commission Awards Contract.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., June 16.—The Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, this morning reconsidered the selection of Charlotte as place of meeting next year, and on recommendation of the joint committee from the Commandery and Chapter, they chose Asheville as the place and the third Tuesday in June as the time. The Commandery adjourned after the installation of officers.

The Masonic meetings were brought to a close to night by a brilliant Shriners' banquet, there being 150 banqueters. There was also a big Brunswick stew and barbecue at the fair grounds this afternoon.

The North Carolina Code Commission to-day awarded the contract for printing the code to E. M. Uzzell, of Raleigh, his bid being $2,104.

Governor Aycock commutes to life imprisonment the death sentence of the negro Powell, in Durham, charged with a capital crime on his own daughter. Judge Cooke and others petitioned for the commutation.

Spend Summer Abroad.

Mrs. Lewis J. Poisson and four children, Miss Lucy and Lewis, Fred and DuBruiz Poisson, and Miss Isabel Smallbones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smallbones, left last night for Philadelphia, whence they will sail Saturday morning on the steamship "Noordland" for Liverpool. Mrs. Poisson and children will visit the family of Mr Fred Poisson, in London, and will later go to Shetland Islands, to the north of Scotland, to spend the remainder of the Summer. Miss Smallbones will visit at the home of Mr. Isaac Bates, in London.

Between Fats and Leans.

A novel game of baseball is being arranged to be played at Hilton to day week between the "Fats" and "Leans" of the Wilmington Lodge of Elks. The game will be for the benefit of the Elks' Charity Fund and no doubt a large crowd will be attracted.

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Mosquito Nets, 100 inches, with 10 yard skirt, only $1.75 and $2.00.
Mosquito Nets for wooden or iron beds, patent frame, $3.50.
Mosquito Nets made of fine lace nets $6.50 each.
Extra large Hammocks $1.50 to $5 each.
Ladies' Bathing Suits, all sizes, $1.50 to $6 each.
Ladies' Bathing Caps 15 to 75c each.
Ladies' Bathing Shoes 25 to 35c a pair.
Gents' Bathing Suits, all new goods, 50c to $3.00 each.
Gents' Patent Seam Drawers 50c a pair.
Gents' Scriven's Patent Seam Drawers only 75c a pair.
Gents' Gauze Undershirts, long or short sleeves, only 50c each.
Ladies' and Children's Parasols in all new designs.
Gents' and Ladies' Umbrellas $1.50 to $6.00 each.
Ladies' 50c open work Lisle Thread Hose, special 39c a pair.
Ladies' and Children's Tan Hose, plain and lace.
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THE HIGHLANDER BURNED.

Associated Press Telegram from Columbia Brings News of Destruction of the Boat at Late Hour Last Night.

An Associated Press dispatch to the STAR from Columbia, S. C., this morning says:

"News was received here at midnight of the burning of the river steamer 'Highlander,' at a point twenty-five miles from Georgetown. The boat was totally destroyed. It was valued at $12,000 with $3,000 insurance. It was built in Wilmington, N. C., three years ago and was owned by T. D. Love of that city. The boat carried no cargo."

The "Highlander" was one of the Cape Fear river fleet of boats until a few months ago when she was taken around to Columbia by Mr. Love to be used on the Congaree and Pee Dee rivers between that city and Georgetown. She was built here in 1901 and was slightly larger than the steamer "Hurt" though of a lighter draft. She was 123 gross and 79 net tons; 115 feet long, 24 feet wide and was 5½ feet depth of hold. She was well adapted to the river traffic and was doing a good business on the new line.

Will be Buried Here.

The remains of the late Mr. Jeff White, formerly car inspector of the Atlantic Coast Line in Wilmington, will arrive on the 10:10 o'clock train this morning from Norfolk and will be interred in Oakdale cemetery. Mr. White died at his home near Portsmouth Wednesday night.

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And one of our worthy policemen, who proved his agility and speed in the race, proudly wears as his prize a pair of our best Douglas $3.50 Patent Corona Colt Skin Blucher Oxfords. And we were glad to contribute to the pleasure of these worthy men who bravely and faithfully guard our life and property while we are awake and while we sleep.

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EMERGENT COMMUNICATION this (Friday) evening at 8.00 o'clock for work in the Fellow Craft degree.

Visiting Brethren cordially welcomed.

C. C. BROWN, Secretary.

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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 17.

THE FIGHT AGAINST PARKER.

A nondescript convention of so called Democrats will be held in Cooper Institute, New York, on next Monday night, to protest against the nomination of Parker by the National Democratic convention at St. Louis on the 6th of July.

Among the speakers invited to attend this farcical convention is William Jennings Bryan. He has accepted the invitation and in his letter doing so he writes to one Mr. J. G. Pallisor, who has called the anti-Parker meeting:

I am very glad this step is being taken, and assume that it is not the object of the protesting convention to send a contesting delegation to St. Louis, or to question in any way the regularity of the Albany convention, but merely to enter a protest on behalf of a large number of New York voters who believe in honesty in politics and are opposed to the burglarious methods which are now being employed to foist upon the party a speechless candidate and a meaningless platform.

Here we have a man like Bryan, claiming to be a Democrat, creating dissention after a Democratic State convention has acted. He resorts to this bushwhacking method to thwart the will of the majority, and the most he will get out of it will be an increase of the contempt which he seems anxious to invite from all Democrats who are interested in securing harmony in their party in order that it may stand a chance of success in this campaign. Instead of seizing the opportunity to display leadership and statesmanship in an emergency like this, he has dwindled into a sorehead, malcontent, howler, conspiritor and petty insurgent chief.

In his letter agreeing to speak at Cooper Institute, Bryan goes on to say:

In the great contest between Democracy and plutocracy our party should take a positive and aggressive stand, and should present a standard-bearer who will infuse courage and enthusiasm among the masses.

The Democracy is doing that very thing, and that is what makes Bryan so full of resentment. Bryan failed to inspire courage and enthusiasm in the party, and he is determined that no one else shall.

Judge Parker has stated that he voted for Bryan twice, and it appears that Bryan is doing his best to make the New York jurist and all other Democrats sorry that they did vote for him. The Nebraskan appears to lay great stress on the desire to know what Parker stands for, but the fact is his knowledge of Judge Parker's type of Democracy is what makes him take on at such a rate. He and the country know that Judge Parker stands for the opposite of Bryanism, and that is why the Democracy wants the New York man.

The warmer the fight rgainst the clean, able, and safe Parker, more's the reason why North Carolina should instruct for him. Mississippi and Arkansas instructed on Wednesday, and North Carolina should show her hand at Greensboro next Thurday.

UNCLE PETER'S CONVICT SON.

Peter Eaves, a venerable negro, decrepit with age and with deep sorrow in his heart, left Charlotte on Tuesday to bring back the body of his son Tom, who died in the Georgia penitentiary, at Atlanta.

Old Peter works a little truck garden and barely makes a living, his skin is black but he had a father's heart and declared that he couldn't rest in peace if he couldn't "fotch de boy home whar he was born." He had no money but when he opened his sorrowful heart to "de white folks" of Charlotte they gave him the money to go after his son who had died in convict strips.

The touch of sympathy between the Southern whites and the old time darkey gave old Uncle Peter confidence in going to them in his hour of distress. He got sympathy and help, and here is where the Southern man is the negro's best friend.

The Republicans are gloating over the pitfalls which endanger Judge Parker's nomination. They don't want him nominated. The reason for that is that they are afraid of him, for the Democrats would not have to defend his character, record or ability, but simply tender him as a candidate who is eminently qualified, safe and sound—a man who would add honor and lustre to the Presidency and have the confidence of all classes of the American people.

A new feature of the State fair will be a textile exhibit by eighteen or twenty North Carolina cotton mills. This we learn from the Raleigh *News and Observer*. If there has heretofore been no exhibition of the State's manufacturing resources, what has the State fair management been doing?

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25c; money back if not cured. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The Czar might send those letters back with Kischeneff stricken out and Cripple Creek interlined.—Washington Post.

—— To find out how to do it properly the government of Santo Domingo ought to send a committee to study the situation in Colorado.—Detroit Free Press.

——Friends of ex-President Cleveland see strong hope in the situation that the convention will be compelled to turn to their candidate as the only man who can command the support of both sides in case of a deadlock.—Utica Herald.

—— Rush orders from New York, Indiana and Illinois, according to the Washington Post, are being sent to the Pension Bureau. The old age disability law is playing a distinguished part in the Presidential campaign in the doubtful States.—Norfolk Landmark.

—— Dowie "Elijah," reviled everywhere he goes, would be a pitiable object if he could be held worthy of pity; but the sort of feeling he has aroused everywhere is well illustrated by the refusal of many passengers to return to America on any vessel that gives him deck room. Jonah could not be a more undesirable fellow voyager.—Brooklyn Citizen.

—— The South is just learning that she has a gold mine in her sunshine, and the North gladly sends her uncounted millions for her fruits and vegetables. Fortunes are made every year in truck farming, and there are still larger fortunes to be made, for the market for this kind of produce is limitless, and the science of getting more and more out of the land is becoming a matter of common knowledge. — Syracuse Journal.

TWINKLINGS.

— Pat—Would you accept me if Oi should prepose, Norah? Norah—Yis; but Oi should want at least two weeks to consider th' matther.—Judge.

Mother—What did you cook at the chafing-dish party last night, Clara? Clara—Nothing but a welch rarebit. Aunt Polly (from the country)—Who killed it, honey?

— "Isn't it ridiculous to say half the world doesn't know what the other half's doing?" "Why so?" "Because half the world must live next door to the other half."—Philadelphia Ledger.

— "Shay, offsher," began the belated citizen, "I hic—want you t' shee me home. You—hic—know where my housh is, don't you?" "Let me see," mused the policeman. "What's the name of your cook?"—Chicago News.

— A Mean Man: "By Maw Eddy! I'm glad my wife thinks she believes in Christian Science." "Why, has it any good points?" "Sure. She can't insist now that she's got to go away for her health this summer."—Town Topics.

— Usual Thing — Tom — That pretty Miss Wilkins seems to have quite a number of eligible young men in her train. Jack—Yes; and it's only a matter of time until there will be a smash-up to that train, with only one survivor.—Illustrated Bits.

— "We will sing 'Awake, Ye Saints' immediately before the sermon to-morrow," announced the minister at choir practice on Saturday afternoon. "Don't you think," inquired the observant tenor, "that it would be more appropriate to sing it immediately after the sermon?"

— Lady (who is on a visit to her native town): How is Mrs. Gabb? I haven't seen her in a long time: Hostess: She is having her usual ups and downs. Lady Visitor: And what may that be, I pray? Hostess: Oh, running up bills and running down her neighbors.—Town and Country.

— "You must not imagine," she said, "that I would consent to be your wife simply because I have let you kiss me." "Oh, of course not," he replied, "but I wish you'd tell me something. Are you letting me kiss you because you like it or merely because you want the practice?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

— In Cabarrus county on Tuesday evening Walter Hough, a young white man, shot George Hartsell, his father-in-law. Hartsell died at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The men live in the country, nine miles from Concord. The trouble was of long standing and of an ugly nature. Hartsell approached Hough in a field and was shot four times, One ball, entering the breast, caused death. Hough went to Concord Wednesday evening and voluntarily gave himself up.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, June 16.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 52½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $3.75 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $2.00, 3.25@3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	58
Rosin	230
Tar	84
Crude turpentine	94

Receipts same day last year—97 casks spirits turpentine, 405 barrels rosin, 73 barrels tar, 95 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, —.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 12c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@45c; springs, 20@30c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Money on call easy; highest 1½ per cent.; lowest 1 per cent; ruling rate 1½ per cent; last loan 1 per cent.; closing bid 1 per cent.; offered at 1½ per cent; time loans easy and dull; sixty days 2½ per cent.; ninety days 2½ per cent.; six months 3@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.20@487.35 for demand and at 485.20@485.25 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 486 and 488. Commercial bills 485@485½. Bar silver 55½. Mexican dollars 44½. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 104½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 105½; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 105½; do. coupon, 106; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 132½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 133½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106½; do. coupon, 107½; Atlantic Coast Line 4's 95½; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 101¾; Seaboard Air Line 4's 69; Southern Railway, 5's, 117½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 91; Chesapeake & Ohio 31; Manhattan L 147; New York Central 115¾; Reading 47; do. 1st pref'd, 81; do. 2nd pref'd 66; Southern Railway 30½; do. pref'd 84½; Amalgamated Copper 49½; People's Gas 97; Tennessee Coal and Iron 34½; U. S. Leather 6¾; U. S. Leather, preferred, 79¼; Western Union 87; U. S. Steel 9¼; do. preferred 54½; Mexican Central 7; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 25½; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 101; sales — shares. Standard Oil 623.

BALTIMORE, MD., June 16.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 7¼@7⅝; do. preferred, 16@16¾; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 107@108; do. preferred. —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 16.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $3 10. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, June 16.—Spirits turpentine firm at 52¾c; sales — casks; Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C $3 67½@3 70; D, $3 75, E, $3 80; F, $3 85@3 85; G, $3 80; H, $3 00; I, $3 12½; K, $3 32½; M, $3 50; N, $3 70; W G, $400; W W, $4 00@4 45.

SAVANNAH, June 16.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 52¾c; receipts 951 casks; sales 490 casks; exports 345 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 2,937 barrels; sales 1,575 barrels; exports 213 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $2 75; D, $2 80; E, $2 05; F, $2 90; G, $2 95; H, $3 04; I, $3 40; K, $3 40; M, $3 65; N, $3 85; W G, $4 15; W W $4 60.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 16.—The cotton market opened quiet, with first operations showing irregularity. The old crop was a little higher on covering, as a result of firm cables, while the new crop was depressed somewhat by excellent weather, the range being six points higher to five points lower. Immediately following the call there was some liquidation and prices eased off a few points, showing in the first few minutes a net decline of four to six points, with July selling at 11.23 August 10.84, October 9.63 and December 9.54. But while the weather map showed generally perfect growing conditions and private advices from the South indicated very favorable crop progress, there was a renewal of the demand here from spot houses, noted on yesterday, and with the cable showing continued firmness the local bear element seemed slow to increase their commitments. On the contrary, there was some covering, and while the South continued to sell, prices during the middle session crept slowly upward, led by the old crop months which came in for a steady if small buying movement, and which seemed to be very sparingly offered. At any rate, July in the early afternoon sold at 11.43 or twenty points up from the bottom, while August rallied to 11.06, October to 9.75 and December to 9.66, net gains of fourteen to eight points. In the last few minutes there was heavy selling by a leading room operator having New Orleans connections and the market eased off, closing steady at unchanged prices to a decline of four points on all positions except January which was net three points higher. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales, representing a considerably less active market than of late. There was some talk of new crop cotton being received in Texas, with two bales reaching Galveston, which, however, were supposed to be the same as those recently reported from Brownwood, while receipts from the general crop are not expected any earlier than the average.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Cotton was quoted dull at 12.00c, net receipts 48½ bales; gross receipts 129 bales; stock 62,367 bales.

Spot cotton closed dull and 10 points lower; middling uplands 12.00c; middling gulf 12 25c; sales 20 bales

Cotton futures closed barely steady: June 11.18, July 11.28, August 10.86, September 9.99, October 9.67, November 9.53, December 9.58, January 9.64.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 1,375 bales; exports to Great Britain 52 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 239,038 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 11,051 bales; exports to Great Britain 10,097 bales; exports to France 10,097 bales; exports to the Continent 500 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,029,651 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,396,632 bales; exports to France 680,453 bales; exports to the Continent 2,503,195 bales; exports to Japan 42,436 bales; exports to Mexico 26,678 bales.

June 16.—Galveston, quiet at 11¾c, net receipts 263 bales; Norfolk, nominal at —, net receipts — bales; Baltimore, nominal at 12.00c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 12.10c, net receipts 15 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 12.25c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, easy at 11¾c, net receipts 806 bales; New Orleans, steady at 11¾c, net receipts 16 bales; Mobile, nominal at 11¾c, net receipts — bales; Memphis, steady at 11¾c, net receipts 48 bales; Augusta, quiet at 11¾c, net receipts 52 bales; Charleston, nominal, net receipts 1,635 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 16.—Flour was barely steady with only light receipts. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red nominal. Options—An opening decline in wheat, due to foreign selling, was followed by a strong advance with shorts large buyers of July, but later liquidation developed and the list sold off, closing ½@⅝c net lower; July closed 91c; September closed 84c; December 83¾c. Corn—Spot quiet; No. 2 56c. Option market generally firm against small receipts, closing partly ¼c higher: July closed 54¼; September closed 54¼; December —c. Oats—Spot quoted dull; mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 45@47c. Pork steady. Lard—Market steady; Western steam $7 10; refined quiet; continent $7 15; compound 5¾@5¾c. Butter was steady; extra creamery 13@18c; State dairy 13@17c. Cheese firm; State, full cream, small colored, choice, 7¾@8c; small white, choice 7¾c. Eggs steady; State and Pennsylvania nearby, average finest, 20@21; Southern 13@14c; Southern inferiors 12@14c. Rice firm. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 6c; other domestic 3¾@6¾c. Cabbages firm; Southern, per barrel crate, $1 50@1 75. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 12. Sugar—Raw quiet; refined quiet. Potatoes easy; Southern, $3 25@5 00; Jersey sweets, basket, $1 25@1 75; State and Western sacks $3 25@3 75. Molasses firm. Tallow dull. Cotton seed oil was about steady but inactive, prices closing as follows: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 21c, nominal; prime summer yellow 28½@29c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 32c; prime winter yellow 32@33c.

CHICAGO, June 16.—Canadian reports of a large increase in acreage were influential to-day in weakening wheat. Final figures on July were 3 4c below last night's close. Corn is up a shade. Oats gained 1 8 and provisions 10 to 22 1-2 c.

CHICAGO, June 16.—Cash prices: Flour quoted easy. Wheat—No. 2 spring 92@95c; No. 3 spring 85@92c; No. 2 red $1 01@1 02. Corn—No. 2 48¾; No. 2 yellow 51@51¼c. Oats—No. 2 41¾@44c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 41¾@42¾c. Rye—No. 2 —c. Mess pork, per bbl., quoted at $12 60@12 65. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 77½@6 80. Short rib sides, loose, $7 00@7 20. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 75@7 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 85¾ 85⅞, 86¼@86¼, 84¾@48⅞, 85; do., new, 84⅛@84⅞, 85¼, 84, 84¼c; September, old, 81⅞@82, 82⅜, 81⅛, 81⅜; do. new, 80¼@80¼, 80⅝, 79⅛@79¼, 79¼c. Corn—No. 2 June 48, 48, 48, 48c; July 48¾@49, 49¼, 48¾, 48¾c; ptember 49@49¼, 49⅝, 49, 49¼c. Oats—No. 2 June 41¼, 41¾, 41⅛, 41¾; July 39⅜@39¼, 39⅝, 39⅜, 39⅜c; Sep-September 32¼@32¾, 33¼, 33⅛, 32¼; December 32⅜@32⅝, 32¾@32⅞, 32¼, 31⅝@32¼. Mess pork, per bbl—July $12 47½, 12 65, 12 47½, 12 65; September $12 80, 12 90, 12 72½, 12 87½. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 80, 6 87½, 6 80, 6 82½; September $6 95, 7 05, 6 95, 7 00. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—$7 25, 7 35, 7 22½, 7 27½; September $7 50 7 53½, 7 40, 7 47½.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 7¼c; mild easy; Cordova 9¼@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 5 points, and closed finally steady. Sales 87,250 bags.

Summer Vacations.

Commencing June 1st and continuing daily to September 30th, 1904, Inclusive, the Atlantic Coast Line will have on sale round trip Summer excursion tickets to all Summer tourist points, such as Washington, D. C., $18, Virginia Beach, Va., $14.10, Blowing, Rock, N. C., $15.80, etc. If parties desiring rates, schedules and other information will kindly write or call on W. J. Craig, General Passenger Agent, same will be furnished with pleasure.

FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, June 16. — Cotton: Spot dull, with prices sixteen points lower; American middling fair 6.72d; good middling 6.58d; middling 6.48d; low middling 6.34d; good ordinary 6.20d; ordinary 6.00d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 4,800 bales American. Receipts 3,000 bales, including 100 bales American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady; American middling (g o c): June 6.30d; June and July 6.20d; July and August 6.14d; August and September 5.93d; September and October 5.51d; October and November 5.30d; November and December 5.24d; December and January 5.21d; January and February 5.20d; February and March 5.20d.

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Schr Lillian Woodruff, 288 tons, Warner, New York, J T Riley & Co.

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List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., June 17.

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Robt A Snyder, 302 tons, Tinker, C D Mafflit.

Geo E Dudley, 387 tons, Chase, C D Mafflit.

Chas C Lister, 267 tons, Moore, C D Mafflit.

Eliza A Scribner, 357 tons, Dodd, C D Mafflit.

BARQUES

Addie Morrill, 595 tons, Allen, C D Mafflit.

Arlington, 493 tons, Fickett, C D Mafflit.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—7 casks spirits turpentine, 91 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 35 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 57 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—13 casks spirits turpentine, 3 barrels tar, 22 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Whitlock—14 casks spirits turpentine, 103 barrels rosin, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Black River—20 casks spirits turpentine, 1 barrel rosin, 66 barrels tar.

Total—58 casks spirits turpentine, 230 barrels rosin, 84 barrels tar, 94 barrels crude turpentine.

To the Mountains, via S. A. L. Ry.

Commencing Friday June 3rd, 1904, the S. A. L. will sell you round trip week end and Sunday excursion tickets at extremely low rates to the following mountain resorts. Lincolnton, N. C., $5.05; Hickory, N. C., $5.95; Cliffs, N. C., $6.10; Lenoir, N. C., $6.65; Blowing Rock, $8.55; Chimney Rock, N. C., $8.55; Granite Falls, N. C., $6 25. Tickets on sale Friday and Saturday, good returning until and including Monday following date of sale except tickets to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock are good to return until and including Tuesday following date of sale.

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If you go to Raleigh on Gough's Rapid Flyer, June 20th, you can see the city passenger agent in Raleigh who will extend your time making ticket good to return to Wilmington on the regular train arriving here on 22nd. See E. B. Williamson, agent, or large hand bills.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust and Banking Co., at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 9th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 399,319 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		26 17
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		100 00
Demand loans		55,770 00
Due from Banks and Bankers		23,519 95
Checks and other cash items		458 94
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Gold coin	$10 00	
Silver coin	332 28	
National Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes	635 00	977 28
Total		$481,181 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,849 59
Individual deposits subject to check	365,567 46
Time certificates of deposit	31,778 00
Certified checks	1,408 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	577 45
Total	$ 481,181 50

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, M. F. Allen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. F. ALLEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1904.

JAMES OWEN REILLY, Notary Public.

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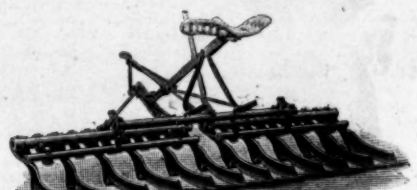

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Raleigh *Post*: Mr. C. F. Von Herman, director of the North Carolina section of the weather bureau, has gone to Washington, D. C., where he will spend a week or ten days. He will then sail for Europe, where he will remain till October 1st visiting relatives in Germany.

—Winston-Salem Sentinel: Judge Parker has his enemies and they are not inactive. There is very evidently a scheme hatched to turn the convention to the selection of a candidate more acceptable to Tammany and the Maryland Democracy. There is no man yet named for the nomination, in our judgment, to be preferred to Judge Parker.

— In the United States District Court at Charlotte on Tuesday, Judge James E. Boyd, presiding, E. B. Miller, of Wautauga, was convicted of passing counterfeit gold coins. Several moonshiners were convicted and sentenced. In the case of Will Burgess, a white man from Stanly county, convicted of illicit distilling, retailing and removing spirits unlawfully, Judge Boyd delayed execution of the sentence for a month in order to let him finish his crop. He has a wife and five children.

— The commencement exercises at St. Mary's College, Belmont, N. C., were inaugurated Monday night and were rendered noteworty through the reception of the degree of Doctor of Divinity by the Very Rev. Father Felix Hintemeyer, O. S. B. Vicar General of the Diocese of North Carolina, and prior of Every Help Abbey. Dr. Hintemeyer receives his degree from the International University of San Anselmo, Rome, and the dignity, coming as it does from the abode of the Holy See at Rome, confers great honor and distinction.

— Fayetteville *Observer* June 15: The New York *Age*, the negro paper edited by T. Thomas Fortune, is jumping on John C. Dancy, the colored recorder of the District of Columbia, for the reason that he did not control the Republican convention in the sixth district and bring about the election of two negro delegates to the Republican National convention. This reporter was present at the convention above spoken of, which was held in this city, and we are quite sure there was not a negro present, so how could Dancy control it?

— Durham Sun, June 14: Raiding Deputy G. W. Sheek, and a posse of officers, captured an illicit distillery near Roxboro last night. The officers found the still in full operation, but the men who were working it ran off when the raiders put in their appearance. The still captured was a very large one, the capacity being about hundred and fifty gallons. There were also a good many stands of beer, probably 600 gallons in all, that were cut down. The officers tell us that there are more illicit stills being operated in this section than there has been for years, but that it is much harder to get information about them than it has ever been.

— Fayetteville Observer: We printed on Saturday the speech delivered by the Rev. H. W. Battle, pastor of the First Baptist church of Greensboro, at the Stedman mass meeting held in that city last week. It is not only a beautiful tribute to Major Stedman's character, but is a refreshing rebuke to hypocrisy and to those who make broad their phylacteries. It is a pity, we rather think—if this secular paper may discuss such matters—that we have not more Christians of the Major Stedman type. We are not informed upon the subject of the proportion which preachers of the Rev. Mr. Battle type bears to the rest of them, but it could not be too large.

— The series of meetings which have been in progress at Faith, Rowan county, for the past week came to a sudden close a few nights ago when the "holiness" preachers were waited upon by representatives of the Jr. O. U. A. M. The order had been publicly denounced by the preachers, which incensed the members to such an extent that they went to the tent, under which the meeting was being held, and demanded an apology, which was refused by the preachers, though the Junior members threatened to remove the tent by force. The holiness workers, however, decided to remove the tent themselves and close the meeting, which was done with thanks to God that they were being persecuted.

— "Big" Ed Miller, of Wautauga county, who was sentenced on Wednesday morning, in the U.S. district court, at Charlotte, to a term of thirteen months in the Federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., attempted to commit suicide in his cell at the county jail Wednesday afternoon by hanging. He was found in a strangling and half-conscious condition, just in time to save him from death. Miller was convicted of passing counterfeit gold coin. Immediately after the sentence was passed he was removed to the jail and placed in one of the separate cells facing the corridor. A leather halter rein was lying just outside the cell. By using the crooked end of his walking cane he pulled the strap into his cell. One end he tied about the bars at the top, placing a running noose about his neck while standing on his cot. He stepped from the cot, leaving himself suspended from the top, and and leaving a short space between his feet and the floor of the cell.

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By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county in the above entitled cause, said action being for the sale of land and premises hereinafter described for division among the plaintiffs and defendants as tenants in common, the undersigned Commissioner will expose for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the Court House door of New Hanover county, on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1904, at 12 o'clock M. on said day, the following described lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina: Beginning in the southern line of Nixon street at the western intersection of Brooklyn street, runs thence southwardly with the western line of Brooklyn street 120 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Nixon street 75 feet; thence north and parallel with Brooklyn street, 120 feet to the southern line of Nixon street; thence east with the said southern line of Nixon street 75 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1 and 2 in Block 327 according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington, N. C.
CAMERON F. McRAE, Commissioner.
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Statement of the Condition of the

ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK,

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business, June 9, 1904, condensed from report to the Comptroller of the Currency.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 921,770 42	Capital stock	$125,000 00
Overdrafts	1,465 37	Surplus and undivided profits (less expenses and taxes paid)	106,540 56
Stocks, bonds, securities, &c.	318,860 00	National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	30,000 00	Deposits	1,156,827 69
Cash and due from banks	347,726 37		
	$1,614,702 16		$1,614,702 16

J. W YATES, Asst, Cashier, J. S. ARMSTRONG, President,
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Murchison National Bank,

At close of business June 9, 1904. (Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,152,392 10	Capital	$ 200,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	250,000 00	Surplus and net profits	194,365 99
Bank Building	29,500 00	Circulation	225,000 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	474,621 32	Deposits	1,327,254 43
	$2,006,520 42		$2,006,520 42

Comparative statement of deposits,
June 9th, 1903, $695,907 79.
June 9th, 1903, $1,076,926 66
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H. C. McQUEEN, President,
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*6 00 A. M.	*6 40 A. M.
*7 00 A. M.	*7 30 A. M.
8 00 "	*8 00 "
9 00 "	*8 30 "
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11 00 "	10 00 "
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11 00 "	12 00 M.

*Daily except Sunday

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TRAINS ARRIVING

Arrive in Wilmington.	Arrive at the Beach.
A. C. L. 10 10 A. M.	11 45 A. M.
12 30 P. M.	1 45 P. M.
S. A. L. 12 45 "	2 15 "
A. C. L. 1 40 "	2 45 "
" 6 00 "	7 25 "

TRAINS LEAVING

Leave Wilmington.	Leave the Beach.
A. C. L. 8 45 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
" 9 00 "	7 30 "
" 2 25 P. M.	1 00 P. M.
S. A. L. 3 10 "	3 00 "
A. C. L. 6 50 "	5 30 "

Through cars for the Beach will connect with all important trains. In other cases conductors will assist passengers with baggage at transfer points and give any information required.

BAGGAGE.

From	Delivered at Beach.
A. C. L. due 10 10 A. M.	5 50 P. M.
" " 12 30 P. M.	" "
S. A. L. " 12 45 "	" "
A. C. L. " 1 40 "	" "
" " 6 00 "	9 00 "
" " 8 00 "	" "
" " 11 45 "	11 00 A. M.

For	Carried on Freight Leaving Beach.
A. C. L. due to leave at	8 45 A. M. 7 30 A. M.
" " "	9 00 "
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S. A. L. " "	3 10 " "
A. C. L. " "	6 53 " 5 30 P. M.
" " "	6 00 A. M. 5 30 "

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
10 00 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
4 00 P. M.	11 30 P. M.
8 30 "	5 30 "

Warehouse open to receive freight 8 30 A. M. to 8.30 P. M.
The Company has a baggage room and ticket office at Wrightsville Beach for handling all express parcels, baggage, validating foreign tickets and the selling of regular round trip tickets. This office will be open daily from 9 A. M. to 7 P. M.

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my 20 tf E. B. WILLIAMSON, Agent.

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Schedule In Effect April 17, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	10 21 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 26 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 12 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 33 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 39 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 03 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	8 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 40 a m	
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m	
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m	
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	8 55 a m	
Ar Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m	
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m	

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily		East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar	8 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar	4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv	3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday		South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar	12 50 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv	9 00 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east
W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.
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Seaboard

Air Line Railroad.

Schedule in Effect April 17, 1904.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington 3:10 p. m. arrive Lumberton 5:35 p. m., Pembroke 6:00 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m. arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.
TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:05 a m, Hamlet 5:00 a m.
TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:37 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.
TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:36 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 35 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	9 10 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....
Ar Chester	10 30 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 53 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 13 a m
Ar Atlanta	8 55 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 35 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 20 p m	4 55 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 00 p m	9 05 a m
Ar Tampa	7 35 a m	6 35 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 50 a m	
Ar Raleigh	2 20 a m	11 30 a m	
Ar Norlina	3 27 a m	1 15 p m	
Ar Portsmouth	8,00 a m	5 30 p m	
Ar Norfolk			
Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 30 a m	
Ar Raleigh	1 20 a m	10 55 a m	
Ar Norlina	3 47 a m	1 15 p m	
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 58 p m	
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 36 p m	
Ar Baltimore	11 30 p m	11 05 p m	
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 30 a m	

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad
Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	9 27	2 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 52	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.
Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.
oct 23 tf S. L. DILL, Supt.

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je 12 tf 19 State [illegible] York.

PROPOSALS

The Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company invites proposals for the grading and masonry for a second track between South Rocky Mount, N. C., and Elm City, N. C., a distance of about eight (8) miles.

Profiles and specifications can be seen at the offices of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, Wilmington, N. C., and Richmond, Va.

Bids will be opened at noon June 20th, 1904.

M. RIDDLE, Jr.,
11 5t, Assistant Chief Engineer.

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 17.

DEVASTATING HURRICANE.

Worst Storm of a Decade Reported from Santiago, Cuba—Many Lives Were Lost—Village Destroyed.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, June 15, by steamer Manzanillo, June 16.—The worst storm of a decade began Friday and culminated Monday night in fourteen inches of rain which fell in five hours, accompanied by a hurricane. The lower village of El Cobre has been destroyed. Forty-five persons are known to be dead and scores are missing. Bodies are floating in the Cobre river. Twenty bodies have been recovered by boats patrolling the bay.

All the bridges on the Cobre railway are out and many bridges have been lost on the Cuba railway. A train which left Havana Saturday is held between washouts eight miles inland. A relief train bringing mail and passengers was wrecked at Moron. The fireman and mail agent were killed and two of the employes were injured. The passengers are safe.

The mines at Daiquí railway are crippled and six of the employes have been drowned. The pier has been damaged. The city's property loss is enormous

All telegraph and cable lines are disabled.

WRECKAGE COMING ASHORE

At Cape Henry, Va., from Some Vessel, Supposed to be a Steamer.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, June 16.—The observer at Cape Henry, Va., reports wreckage coming ashore there yesterday apparently from some burnt vessel. Cabin furniture, several five-gallon cans of oil and a passenger check of the Ocean Steamship Company, of Savannah, numbered 7567, were among the articles recovered. The wreckage came ashore between False Caps and Currituck and other articles were visible off the coast.

NEW YORK, June 16.—At the offices of the Ocean Steamship Company it was said to be unlikely that any vessel of theirs had been in trouble off Cape Henry. The City of Memphis sailed from here Tuesday for Savannah. The officials of the line expressed the opinion that the wreckage could not have come from the City of Memphis.

SAVANNAH, June 16.—At the office of the Ocean Steamship Company it was stated to-day that the pass check 7567 sold May 24th could not be identified, as the ship on which it had been used had long since reached New York and returned to this port.

The local officials of the Ocean Steamship Company do not believe that any disaster has befallen one of their vessels. Among the relatives and friends of those aboard the City of Memphis which is expected to arrive to-morrow, however, there is considerable alarm.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 3; Washington, 5.
Detroit, 6; Philadelphia, 5.
St. Louis, 3; New York, 10.
Chicago, 5; Boston, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 1; Pittsburg, 5.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Boston, 1; Chicago, 5.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 10; New Orleans, 5.
Nashville, 4; Little Rock, 9.
Montgomery, 6; Shreveport, 7.
Birmingham, 4; Memphis, 2.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Charleston, 6; Macon, 7.
Savannah, 9; Jacksonville, 1.
Columbia, 5; Augusta, 6.

RAISULI'S DEMANDS

Will Probably be Granted by Moroccan Government if Captives Released.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The State Department has received the following under date of yesterday by cable from Mr. Gummere, American consul general at Tangier:

"As reported yesterday, Raisuli has increased his demands. I am informed to-day by the minister of foreign affairs that one of the shieks and two of his brothers, whose apprehension was demanded by Raisuli have been arrested; also, that a courier has been dispatched this morning to Raisuli to say that his further demands will probably be granted by the Moroccan government if the captives are released."

NEW COTTON PEST.

A Strange Bug That is Doing Much Damage in Alabama Fields.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SELMA, ALA., June 16.—A kind of cotton bug, not known to any farmers or cotton men in this section, has been found in the cotton fields and specimens of the pest were to-day sent to New Orleans. The new bug is not a member, so far as known, of any weevil families so far reported. It is very small but masses in such quantities that it seems like a blight. It was prevalent all over the county and already has done much damage. It kills every leaf and branch it attacks and is said to have alarmed some planters.

UNKNOWN KILLED.

Run Over by Automobile in New York City Last Night.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 16.—One of the big automobiles used to take sightseers about the city, ran over and killed an elderly unknown in Broadway to-night, while members of the merry party were laughing and singing. Before the body of the victim could be taken from under the car several of the women passengers became hysterical and had to be lifted to the ground, while others jumped down and ran away from the scene.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of an accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. 1

THE SEARCH FOR BODIES OF DEAD.

No Telling What the List of Victims of the Steamer General Slocum Will Total.

MAY REACH ONE THOUSAND.

At Dusk Yesterday 536 Bodies Had Been Recovered—Hundreds More Are Missing—It is Believed Many of These Are Safe.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 16.—With unceasing effort search is going on for the bodies of those who perished yesterday on the steamer General Slocum. What the list of victims will total scarce one dare venture a guess, but whatever the number may be there is hardly a parallel in the history of disasters where death came to so many in so brief a period of time. Police and health department officials have placed the number at a figure as high as one thousand and more, but to-night it would seem that the maxim fatality will not largely exceed seven hundred.

All day long, from sunrise until darkness shut off even the melancholy satisfaction of watching for the dead, anxious searchers kept up their eternal vigilance and at dusk there had been recovered 536 bodies—for the great part women and children, women who had weeks ago planned that fatal outing for their children and little ones who had longed for the coming of the happy day.

Up to dusk 499 bodies had passed through the morgue, and of these more than 300 were identified. The East side has its human sympathies aroused to the fullest extent, and down the river, where the boats unloaded their dead, thousands gathered throughout the day. Streets leading to the morgue were blocked, and only with difficulty could the police keep clear the passages leading to the long rows of coffins for those who came to search for the missing.

Up the sound where the hulk of the General Slocum lies submerged, showing only a paddle-box, scores of small craft aided the tugs in grappling for the victims. Divers went down time after time and when their work ended for the day, they declared there were no more bodies in the wreck. A score of times a diver reappeared after his plunge with the body of a woman or a child. Two of them coming to the surface together on one occasion had in their arms two little girls sisters, clasped in each others embrace and their mother. It was thought, whose dead hand tightly clutched the skirt of one of them.

As far as it was within their power, the divers searched the wreck from stem to stern, but there were masses of broken timbers through which it was almost impossible to explore and it may be that some will find a grave under those sunken timbers until the hulk is raised or the waters of the sound wash away the last trace of wreckage.

At this point the water is deep and the currents are swift, and beyond a doubt many have been borne along with the tides to be given up on a later day at some distant point.

There are a number of places where the living may have landed, and it is believed that many now reported missing are safe and eventually will be heard from by the officials who have the rescue work in hand. Indeed, to-night a surprising number of persons reported to these officials that they have been saved, thus cutting the list of missing down considerably as well as the probable mortality list. Many persons were injured in the panic that followed the breaking out of flames on the General Slocum and at least 200 persons were taken to the hospitals. Not a death has occurred so far among these and many of them have already been discharged.

Perhaps the most remarkable case in the many appalling experiences of those who were on the Slocum was that of Miss Clara Hartman, who was picked up for dead, towed behind a boat for several miles, wrapped in a tarpaulin and tagged as dead, and then recovered consciousness at the Alexander avenue police station. It is now believed she will recover.

Although many of the bodies taken to the morgue were very badly mutilated and the clothing in many cases almost entirely burned off, valuables have been taken from them, and are in the keeping of the city officials, to the extent of $200,000 or more. Several of the men and women had the savings of a lifetime on them when they perished. Much jewelry, it is reported to the police, has been lost, but an explanation may be found in the fact that it was destroyed in the fire rather than stolen by ghouls.

Mayor McClellan to-day, after receiving messages of condolence from many sources, visited North Brother Island, and later visited the morgue. He issued a proclamation to the citizens of New York and appointed a relief committee of prominent men, and relief will be sadly needed in that little East side territory which the vast majority of those that perished were accustomed to call home. The coroner's investigation to fix the responsibility of the disaster will begin on Monday next. The Federal authorities as well as the district attorney also will hold an investigation, and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, through its counsel, has signified its intention to push the inquiry to the utmost.

Fully 90 per cent. of the victims of the disaster were insured in three leading insurance companies handling what is called industrial insurance.

Captain William H. VanSchaick, of the Slocum, who is in Lebanon hospital, told something of the disaster to Samuel Marx, one of the inspectors of the institution.

According to Mr. Marq the life preservers had been regularly inspected by the proper authorities in the Spring of the present year, and only one had been condemned as bad. VanSchaick, Mr. Mark said, told him that all the preservers were on the hurricane deck. Mr. Marx said that VanSchaick told him that his idea of running to the North Brother Island was to get to shallow water when the people could wade ashore. If they had waited, as did VanSchaick and his pilots, hundreds that lost their lives by jumping into the river could have been saved by reaching the beach. VanSchaick and Pilots VanWart and Weaver landed in three feet of water.

When the tide turned and began to fall about 5:30 o'clock this afternoon, the current slackened so that additions could be made safely to the searching party. Sixteen boats were about the sunken steamer at this time and the result was that in less than half an hour twelve more bodies were recovered off the beach and one from the wreck itself.

At the last low tide to-night twenty-five bodies were recovered near the wreck of the Slocum. One of these bodies was that of a woman about forty years of age. Around her neck was what looked like a life-preserver covering. Coroner O'Gorman says he found a quantity of pulverized cork inside the woman's waist. He thinks she tried to save her life by donning the preserver and that it went to pieces. When Coroner O'Gorman discovered the cork he said: "I may use this in fixing the blame for the death of this woman when her body is identified. She had been cool enough to put on the life preserver and had it been in good condition she might have had a chance for life."

Investigation Ordered.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—A rigid investigation of the General Slocum disaster has been ordered by Secretary Cortelyou, of the department of commerce and labor. The investigation will be conducted by the steamboat inspection service under the direction of George Uhler, supervising inspector general. It will be conducted by General James A. Dumont and Thos. H. Barrett, constituting the local board of steamboat inspectors of New York.

Inspector Rodie, of the New York district, has sent a preliminary report showing that the General Slocum carried 2,550 life-preservers, six life boats, four life-rafts and a number of fire pumps and other fire apparatus.

VETERANS' PARADE CLOSED THE REUNION.

Nashville's Streets Densely Crowded--The Reviewing Stand—General Gordon's Widow—Tattered Battle Flags.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NASHVILLE, TENN., June 16—As a fitting climax to the reunion of United Confederate Veterans, Nashville and her thousands of guests to day gave the Veterans as they proudly marched through the densely crowded streets, an ovation which will live long in the memory of its recipients as well as those who paid the honor.

The day was warm, but the old men marched unflinchingly, although the step at times faltered. There was much confusion, caused by the poor policing along the route, but the start was made at the hour set and the last veteran passed the reviewing stand two hours later. The Seventh cavalry band, U. S. A., led the parade and this organization as well as the many other bands in the long line played only four pieces, but gave them over and over: "Maryland, My Maryland," "My Old Kentucky Home," "The Girl I Left Behind Me," and "Dixie".

United States mail carriers at several places along the line supplied ice water to the thirsty veterans.

The parade was representative not only of every Southern State, but many camps located in the far West, one in Montana and another in Ohio, had delegations in line. The Fourth division, composed principally of camps from Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi, carried away the honors for the greatest number of men in line. The Virginians were an imposing body of men and were given many cheers. The fourth brigade, North Carolina, headed by a camp from Asheville, bearing hornets nests in the branches of trees and headed by a drum corps of veterans, which now musters but four members, was one of the features of the parade. Alabama's "Yellow Hammers" were heartily applauded. Many of the camp representations were noticeably small, but the pride with which they held aloft their tattered battle-flags made up for the deficiency in numbers. One Louisiana camp carried a flag so frayed by bullets and time that it was held together by a net.

In the reviewing stand, on Spruce street, was a distinguished company, including Mrs. John B. Gordon, the widow of the former commander-in-chief, and her daughters; Col. Philip Fall, of Houston, Texas, a member of General Lee's staff; Mrs. John G. Brown and Bishop and Mrs. Fitzgerald, of Tennessee. Mrs. Gordon stood at the front of the reviewing stand and drawn up across the street were General Lee and his staff. The veterans cheered their leader to the echo as they passed and many rushed out of line to grasp his hand. Then they turned and saluted the widow of John B. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon was deeply moved at the manifestations of affection. Her emotion was quite perceptible as the Georgia division bore past the reviewing stand with the flag of the Confederacy that had been made from the ribbons that bedecked the grave of her beloved husband.

Another affecting incident was the welcome and salute of the old Stonewall Jackson brigade as it passed. The grizzled warriors, bearing the tattered and battle-scarred flag they had carried through victory and defeat alike, stepped out of line and with one accord saluted Mrs. Gordon and General Lee.

The sponsors came in for a full share of the almost continuous applause and cheering, to which they responded with the waving of flags, parasols and bouquets.

The veterans held a brief session at the Tabernacle this afternoon to complete the business of the re-union. General George P. Harrison, of Opelika, Ala., introduced a resolution at the request of the Alabama Daughters of the Confederacy, asking that the veterans appoint a committee to confer with the daughters upon the matter of revising and modernizing the words of the South's most famous song, "Dixie." A prolonged discussion followed. General Cabell, of Texas, opposed the appointment of the committee or any action which would put the veterans in the attitude of suggesting a change of words.

"That song furnished us inspiration through four long years of fighting," said the general. "It has furnished inspiration ever since, and I don't think that we, standing with one foot in the grave, should permit any change in those words. The next thing we know, concluded the general, 'some Yankee will come down here and want to change Cabell's name.'"

The convention finally voted to appoint the committee as a matter of courtesy to the Daughters of the Confederacy, but the veterans are firmly opposed to any change.

The reading of greetings from the Wisconsin grand army veterans, now in annual encampment at Madison, occasioned prolonged cheering. A suitable acknowledgement and greeting was ordered sent by General Lee.

General William Jones, of Richmond, in explaining the progress of the movement to erect a monument to Jefferson Davis, in Virginia's capital, said he hoped to invite the veterans to meet there in 1906, when they would dedicate the monument and hold their conventions in the auditorium of the Battle Abbey.

A resolution to abandon the parades of future reunions, owing to the increasing infirmities of the veterans, which was introduced by a member of an Arkansas camp, was unanimously voted down, and with the falling of the commander-in-chief's gavel, the reunion of 1904 passed into history.

A bulletin from Missoula, Mont., says: Northern Pacific passenger No. 2 east bound, has been held up at Bearmouth. No particulars are yet obtainable. This is the spot where Engineer O'Neill was killed in a hold-up two years ago.

The Democrats of the Seventh Congressional district at Jackson Springs, N. C., re-nominated Congressman Robert N. Page, by acclamation.

JAPANESE DEFEAT RUSSIAN TROOPS.

They Left More Than 500 Dead on the Field and Fourteen Quick Firing Guns.

JAPS' LOSS ESTIMATED 1,000.

Battle Ended the Russians' Hope of Relieving the Pressure on Port Arthur. They Retreated Northward, Pursued by Japanese Cavalry.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

TOKIO, June 16, 5 P. M.—The Russian hope of relieving the pressure on Port Arthur by threatening the rear of General Oku, the commander of the Japanese forces investing the Russian stronghold, came to an end yesterday at Lelissu, a point on the railroad fifty miles north of Kin Chou and twenty-five miles north of Vafangow, when the Russians were outmanœuvred, enveloped and sweepingly defeated. They left more than 500 dead on the field and the Japanese captured 300 prisoners and fourteen quick-firing field guns. The Russians retreated hastily to the northward.

The Japanese charge that the Russians violated the Japanese flag. Certain officers aver that during the fighting a body of Russian soldiers appeared carrying a Japanese flag and that the Japanese artillery, deceived by this flag ceased firing on that particular body of Russians. Official dispatches from the Japanese commanders made specific charges of this flag violation. Early estimates of the Japanese losses at Telissu say that 1,000 men were killed or wounded.

The Japanese attacking force was divided into right and left columns and began the advance on Tuesday along both sides of the railroad. They encountered the Russians east of Vafandien and drove them back. At a late hour in the afternoon the Russians held a line between Lung Wang Tiao and Ta Fang Shen. The Japanese artillery opened on this line and the Russians responded. The shelling continued twelve hours, and it was followed by the advance of the Japanese line to a position extending from Lung Chia Tung to Yu Hotan. Darkness put an end to the fighting. The Japanese dispatched a column to the westward toward Fuchau for the purpose of covering the Russian right wing and to protect their left and rear. During the night it became apparent that the Russians were being reinforced, and some desired to make a general attack in the morning and force the Russians into a defile back of Telissu.

When morning came it was discovered that the Russians held a line extending from Ta-Fang-Shen to Cheng-Tau-Shan, with a force estimated at more than two divisions.

The Japanese planned to envelop the Russians near Telissu and they succeeded admirably.

While the main Japanese force was moving north along the railroad, columns were swung to the left and to the right and finally converged at noon on the main Russian position. The Russians in this position were at a disadvantage. They held it with determination until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At this hour they were routed. The Japanese cavalry continued to pursue the enemy and probably inflicted severe punishment.

The Japanese commander makes no estimate of the Russian losses, but says they are probably great.

Among the Russian officers captured by the Japanese is the colonel of the Fourth regiment of rifles.

Russian Account.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 16.—Emperor Nicholas has received the following telegram, dated June 16, from General Kuropatkin:

"I have received the following dispatch from Lieutenant General Baron Stakelberg, dated June 16th, 1:20 A. M.

"Yesterday I had intended to attack the enemy's right flank, but just as our troops had been assigned for the purpose and were beginning to successfully envelop the enemy's right flank, the Japanese in their turn attacked my right flank with superior forces, and I was compelled to retreat by three roads to the north. Our losses are heavy, but they are not yet completely known. During the engagement the third and fourth batteries of the First artillery brigade were literally cut to pieces by the Japanese shells. Of sixteen guns, thirteen were rendered completely useless and were abandoned.

"The conduct of the troops was excellent, a large proportion of them refusing to retire until after they had been repeatedly ordered to do so."

Two Transports Sunk

TOKIO, June 16, 7. P. M.—Details obtainable from the survivors of the ill-fated Japanese transports show that the Hitachi and the Sado met their Russian warships near Iko island at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. The Russians fired on the Japanese ships and stopped them, and soon afterward they torpedoed and sank the helpless transports.

The captain of the Sado and several other men were captured. More than one hundred men escaped in the boats and landed at Kikura.

A message has been received here from Hgi saying that the survivors of the Hatachi had drifted north to Shimonoskel and been saved. The transport Izumi is still missing.

8 P. M.—It is reported that the transports Hitachi and Sado carried only fourteen hundred men. If this is true, the loss in lives is probably less than 1,000. The transports, however, had many horses and large quantities of supplies on board.

Battle Expected.

LONDON, June 17.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at the Japanese headquarters, cabling from Antung under date of June 16th, says that the Russians are advancing and have occupied Jongyenpu, Sumengisu and Sanchiatsu, and that a battle is expected immediately.

Vladivostok Squadron.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 16, 8:55 P. M.—The Vladivostok squadron has returned to Vladivostok.

TOKIO, June 16, 6 P. M.—All doubt as to the sinking of the transports Hitachi and Sado by the Russians has been removed. Three hundred and ninety-seven survivors of the Hitachi have arrived at Moji and 153 survivors of the Sado have arrived at Kokura. Details of the destruction of the two transports and the full extent of the casualties, are not obtainable.

FIVE YEARS IN PRISON.

Lawrence Pulliam, Defaulting Cashier of an Asheville Bank, Sentenced.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 16.—Lawrence Pulliam, convicted of defaulting while cashier of an Asheville bank some years ago, and who appealed and gave bond, was turned over to the court by his bondsmen and sentenced to five years in the Federal prison at Atlanta, where he was taken to-night. The case has been in court a number of years. Pulliam stood well before his conviction and many efforts were made to secure his freedom.

WEDDING AT GRIT, N. C.

Miss E. F. Eakins and Mr. G. B. Savage Married Wednesday Evening.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

GRIST, N. C., June 15.—At 7 o'clock this evening Mr. G. B. Savage, of Ivanhoe, and Miss E. F. Eakins were united in marriage at Harmony Baptist church by Rev. J. A. Smith, of Wilmington. In front of the pulpit, in the presence of many friends and relatives, the handsome young couple made their solemn vow, the inspiring strains of the wedding march being beautifully rendered by Miss Jennie Giddings, of Clinton, N. C. The maid of honor was Miss Berta Herring; best man, Mr. J. N. Herring. Other attendants were Mr. C. S. Corbett and Miss Annie Parker, Mr. N. V. Wells and Miss Rosa Herring, Mr. Lee Eakins and Miss Mary Ward, Mr. Jackson Eakins and Miss Annie Stringfield. The ushers were Messrs. R. V. Eakins, K. R. Curlis and A. T. Mitchell.

TRAGEDY IN FINLAND.

Governor General Shot by a Man, Who Immediately Killed Himself.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 16.—General Bobrikoff, governor general of Finland, was shot and mortally wounded at 11 o'clock this morning at the entrance to the Finnish Senate at Helsingfors. The assassin, a man named Schaumann, a son of Senator Schaumann, immediately committed suicide. Bobrikoff was shot in the stomach and neck, three shots being fired, one of which inflicted a serious wound. The attack is ascribed to Finnish patriotism. Schaumann is believed to be a member of what is known as the Finnish Patriotic party.

WARM WIRELETS

Two troops of cavalry from New York State will attend the United States army and militia manœuvres at Manassas, Va., next September.

Fire at Norion, Wise county, Virginia, Wednesday night, destroyed the whole business section of the town, causing a loss of about $150,000, partly insured.

President Roosevelt yesterday received a telegram of condolence evoked by the Slocum disaster from President Loubet of France, to which a suitable response was sent.

Gough's Rapid Flyer, Monday, June 20th, over the Seaboard Air Line to Raleigh, N. C. The management with years of experience and unprecedented success will endeavor to make this the most pleasant and greatest excursion ever, carried out of Wilmington to the capital city of the Old North State. We want one thousand passengers out of Wilmington; the Seaboard will provide accommodation—new clean coaches, good engineers, schedule, special coaches for ladies and their escorts, separate cars for colored people. Fare $1.50 for the round trip. Train leaves at 6 o'clock Monday morning, June 20th. See large handbills, consult Seaboard agent. 1

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. Terms positively cash in advance

For Sale—One 5 room house and lot on Suburban Car Line, near Delgado Mill. Apply to J. A. Dean. fr su je 17 2t

Cross-ties Wanted—An unlimited amount of cypress and long leaf heart pine ties for an unlimited time. I want the ties and have the money to pay you for them when delivered in any amount, largeor small, and would like to give good contracts to reliable parties. For further information address H. T. Windley, Agent, for Henry J. Spooner, Jr., Lock Box No. 415. je 17 1w*

Eat at the Dixie Restaurant and grow fat. 117 Princess street. je 15 tf

Take the children to the Casino for the day. The Casino is free to every one. Fare on trolley line for children under 12 years 25 cents round trip—children under 5 years, free. je 15 tf

Mechanics Home Association will open a new series of Building and Loan Stock, July 2nd. N. Jacobi, President, W. M. Cumming, Secretary and Treasurer. je 14 tf

I Have for sale a fine residence on a large lot on South Front street. Another on Orange street, and three on North Fifth street; another on North Front street. Also a small house and lot cheap for cash on Tenth street, between Church and Castle. W. M. Cumming, real estate agent. je 14 tf

The Boys' Brigade Excursion to Carolina Beach Friday, June 17th. Four boats, 9:15 A. M., 2:45, 5:15, 7:45 P. M. Last boat leaves beach 11 P. M. Music, refreshments, dancing. No quadrille dancing after last boat to beach. Round trip 25c. je 12 5t

For Sale—One lot of fine Milch Cows just arrived and must be sold at once. Come early and take your choice. Also a fine lot of Berkshire Pigs, registered stock, at Davis' Stables, 208 and 210 Market street. je 11 1w*

Headley's Chocolates at the Dixie Restaurant. 117 Princess street. je 7 tf

Shingles—All sizes and grades of shingles for sale at the Koch Shingle Mill on Point Peter opposite Hilton Ferry. W. W. Koch, 'phone No. 590. my 17 1m

Would be glad to accommodate a number of gentlemen with good table board at reasonable rates; also two furnished rooms with board Apply No. 15 North Fifth street. apr 30 tf

Brown Leghorn Eggs, from high bred stock, for sale at 50 cents per dozen. R. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess streets. mar 16 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 113 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

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ELECTION NOTICE!

Take notice that an election will be held in the City of Wilmington on Wednesday, the 27th day of July, 1904, for the purpose of submitting to the people the following issues to be voted upon by them:

1. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the City of Wilmington, N. C.?

2. Whether dispensaries shall be established in the said City of Wilmington, North Carolina?

The polls will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until sunset on the day of election at the following places:

First Ward—Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, J. A. Barnes. Judges of Election, G. F. Quinn, F. T. Skipper.

Second Ward—Old Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges. Judges of Election, W. Sloan Huggins, L. Tate Bowden.

Third Ward—Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins. Judges of Election, C. C. Covington, Jno. C. Boesch.

Fourth Ward—Worth Ice House, Dock street. Registrar, T. G. Pickett. Judges of Election, Geo. D. Parsley, H. L. Vollers.

Fifth Ward—Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets. Registrar, W. D. Rhodes. Judges of Election, K. W. Jewell, T. G. Landen.

By order of the Board of Aldermen, this June 6th, 1904.

B. F. KING,
Clerk and Treasurer.

Registration Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held in the city of Wilmington on Monday June 6th, 1904, it was ordered that a registration be had in all the wards of the city for the purpose of allowing voters to register for an election to be held in the different wards of the city on Wednesday, 27th day of July, 1904. To vote upon the following questions to be submitted to the people:

1st. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

2nd. Whether dispensary shall be established in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

The registration books will be open at the following places:

First Ward, Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets, J. A. Barnes, registrar.

Second Ward, Old Court House, W. W. Hodges, registrar.

Third Ward, Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets, A. G. Hankins, registrar.

Fourth Ward, Worth's Ice House, Dock street, T. G. Pickett, registrar.

Fifth Ward, Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets, W. Rhodes, registrar.

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter 750, Acts of 1901, registrars will be furnished with registration books and shall take oath to faithfully discharge the duties of registrars as prescribed by law; shall revise the registration books of their respective wards, so as to show an accurate list of the electors previously registered in such ward or precinct and still residing therein, without requiring such electors to be registered anew; said registrars shall between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. on each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for closing the registration books as hereinafter provided, keep open said books for the registration of any new electors residing in such ward or precinct and entitled to register whose names have never before been registered in such ward or precinct, or do not appear in the revised list; that said books shall be open until 9 o'clock P. M. of each Saturday during such registration period; that said books shall be closed for registration on the second Saturday before election, July 27th, 1904; that on the second Saturday before the election said registration books shall be kept open at the polling place in each ward or precinct to the inspection of the electors of the ward or precinct, and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books, such challenges to be heard and determined as provided for in Chapter 750, Acts of 1901. The registration shall begin on Friday, July 8th, 1904, and close on Saturday, July 16th, 1904.

B. F. KING,
je $ 30t Clerk and Treasurer.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EASTERN District of North Carolina, To E. F. Young in said District, Greeting: For certain causes offered before the District Court of the United States of America within and for the Eastern District of North Carolina, as a court of bankruptcy, we command and strictly enjoin you, laying all other matters aside and notwithstanding any excuse, that you personally appear before the said District Court to be holden at Wilmington, in said District on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1904, at 12:00 o'clock P. M. to answer to a petition filed by Taylor Bros. Harvey, Blair & Co., and T. D. Stokes & Co., in our said court, praying that you be adjudged a bankrupt, and to be further and receive that which our said District Court shall consider in this behalf. And this you are in no wise to omit, under the pains and penalties of what may befall thereon. Witness the Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Wilmington, this 4th day of June, A. D. 1904.

WM. H. SHAW,
Clerk of the District Court of the United States within and for the Eastern District of North Carolina. je 9 tf

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the matter of E. F. Young, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. Whereas, a petition was on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1904, filed for an adjudication of bankrupcy against E. F. Young and whereas it appears that said E. F. Young cannot be found nor personal service of said petition, with the subpœna issued therein, be made upon said bankrupt, now, therefore, on motion of Goodwin & Davis, attorneys for petitioners, it is ordered that service of such petition and subpœna be made by publishing this order together with said subpœna, in the Wilmington MORNING STAR, a newspaper published in said district at Wilmington, once a week for two consecutive weeks, the last of such publication to be on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1904, and by mailing a copy of this order and said petition and subpœna to the last known place of abode of the said E. F. Young in said district on or before the day of the first publication.

It is further ordered, that if personal service can be had upon the said E. F. Young of said petition and subpœna on or before the 16th day of June, A. D. 1904, that such service be made and in event such service can and shall be had then the original subpœna shall be deemed and is hereby made returnable to this court at Wilmington, in said district, within and on the 3rd day after such service. And it is so ordered.

THOS. R. PURNELL,
District Judge.

At Wilmington, N. C., June 8th, 1904.

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Our silk department is showing some beautiful wash Jap silks in white and colors that are 50c values, on sale now at 29c a yard; we will sell our warranted black Taffet silk, guaranteed not to split, and 1 yard wide, worth $1.50, at the reduced price of $1.25 for this week only. In our stock of black and fancy colored dress goods in woollens we are showing a beautiful line at all prices. If a lady wishes to buy a nice dress, she can find what she wants if she will come to us for it.

Millinery.

Our ladies' hat department has also been greatly replenished this week and a good many things we are absolutely selling at half price. We have recently closed out two lines of sample hats, and we have also bought about 60 doz. of ladies' hats at much less than half price. If you are interested in ladies', misses' or children's hats at any price, we can fit you up in great shape and save you lots of money on the price. We received to-day one case of Ladies' Golf Hat Pins, which we are selling at 15c. a pair.

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Our men and boy's clothing stock is a very strong department with us. Our clothes are all well made and in the newest and prettiest styles and the prices, if they count with you in the way of saving a profit, we feel quite sure you can save money by buying your clothing from us. We have some splendid light colored suits, all wool, which we are selling for $4.98 and we have better suits at higher prices; from $7.50 to $12.50 a suit. Our gents' underwear department has been greatly replenished this week and we have a splendid line of underwear for men, boys and ladies. In men's hats, we have just received a beautiful assortment, pretty light weight, stylish good hats that we are selling from $1.00 to $2.50 a piece. We have about one hundred men's sample hats that we want to close out and will offer these hats this week for 25 per cent. less than cost. The hats are marked in plain figures, first cost, and we will sell them 25 per cent. less than that; for instance a hat that cost a dollar wholesale first hands, we will sell for 75c. We do this to get the room.

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Sunday Schedule	9.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.	A. M. 9.30 P. M. 2.30, 7.45	P. M. 4.45 A. M., 4.45 P. M.	P. M. 12.30, 6. .45

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